

ON THE MOVE: EMERGING LEADERS AT THE INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS

The 2024 International Congress continued the practice of having programming dedicated to new investigators, clinicians, educators, and health policy advocates. This group, including early-career faculty, fellows, residents, and students, were invited to the Friday Emerging Leaders Luncheon. The event’s speakers included Drs. Rogier Hoenders, Darshan Mehta, Tieraona Low Dog, and Scarlet Soriano. This activity provided the opportunity for new attendees to make connections with numerous senior academic leaders and researchers who were in attendance.

“ I felt very supported by all of the speakers and guests. Their experiences and input made me feel more confident that I can also be a contributor in the future of integrative medicine.

—Samantha Zabel



Rogier Hoenders, MD, PhD

Integrative Psychiatrist and Head of Research & Clinical Affairs, Center for Integrative Psychiatry, Lentis; University of Groningen Consortium for Integrative Care and Health



Darshan Mehta, MD, MPH

Medical Director, Benson-Henry Institute for Mind Body Medicine at Massachusetts General Hospital; Director, Office for Well-Being, Center for Faculty Development at Massachusetts General Hospital; Medical and Education Director, Osher Center for Integrative Health, Harvard Medical School and Brigham and Women’s Hospital; Assistant Professor of Medicine and Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School



Tieraona Low Dog, MD

Fellowship Director
University of California-Irvine



Scarlet Soriano, MD, ABOIM

Executive Director
Duke Health & Well-Being

OVER 80 student/trainees registered for the Emerging Leaders Lunch

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Student/Trainee/Post-Doc Oral Abstract Presentations

94

Student/Trainee/Post-Doc Poster Abstract Presentations

Student/Trainee Status

Undergraduate	2%
Professional Training	4%
Graduate/Master/PhD Student	11%
Postdoctoral Fellow	11%
Trainee: Fellow / Resident	7%

MORE THAN 25% of Registrants were Student/Trainees

“ As one of the youngest people [at the International Congress], it was really empowering to feel seen by more well established figures in the field.

—Dola Greene